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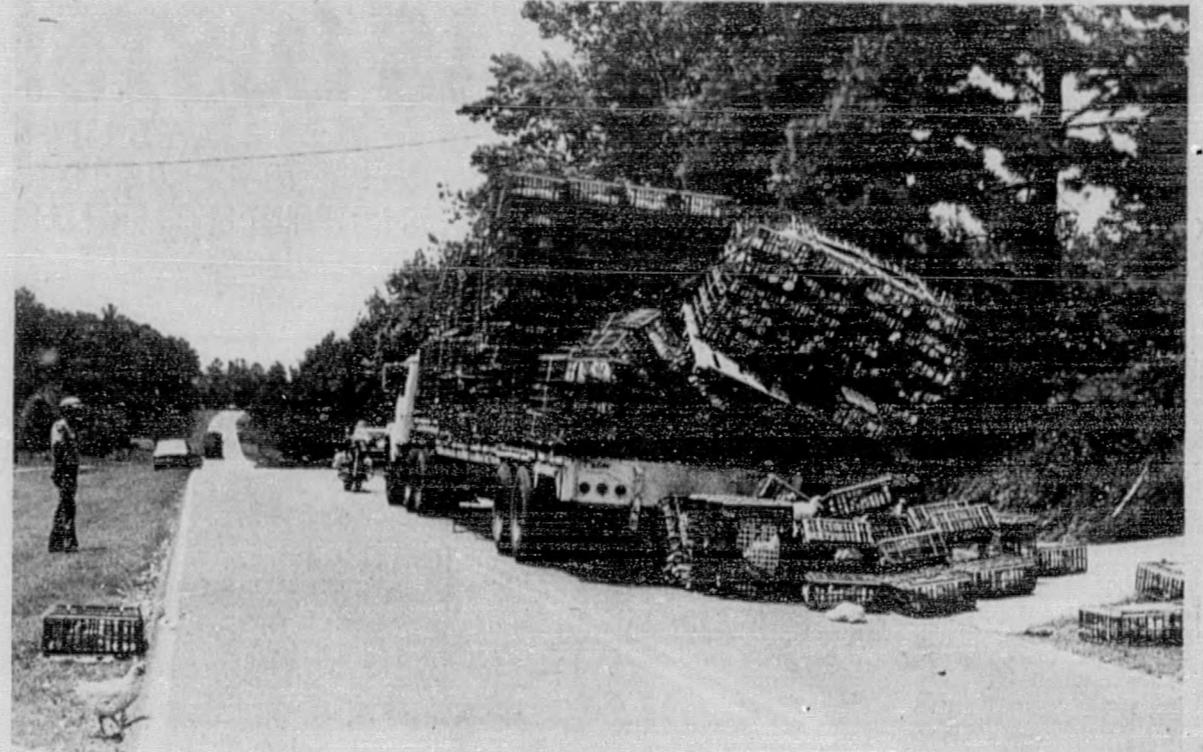
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CHICKENS, CHICKENS—Crates of chickens were scattered everywhere Monday morning when this ConAgra truck hauling hens to the dressing plant lost part of its load in a curve on the Brantley Highway near Elba city limits. Truck driver Kenny Ware of Elba said he did not know what happened, but as he went around the curve he felt the load shifting and his main concern was to prevent the entire truck from overturning. Crates in the center stack as well as the back stack shown in the photo spilled from the truck. Several hundred chickens were killed and many others were running loose when the truck finally stopped.

Fire Insurance Rates Drop For Elba Property Owners

By CYNDI MADDOX

Most Elba residents can expect a small reduction in rates on fire insurance for their homes and businesses starting August 1.

The decline in costs is a result of the City of Elba dropping from a fire protection Class 8 rating to a Class 7. City officials were notified earlier this week of the improved status in a letter from the Insurance Services Office of Alabama.

According to figures quoted by several local insurance agents, most policymakers can expect their rates to drop from 5 to 12 percent. One agent

estimated that residential rates will decrease about 5 percent, and commercial, 10 to 12 percent. "But this is very generalized. People can expect a slight reduction as a result of this fire reclassification, but there is no way to give a certain figure," he explained.

Non-rates will be based on the individual policies, and some commercial rates will not decrease at all, because the policies levy the same rates for Class 8 and Class 7.

Elba Mayor Bob English credited the voluntary fire department and water department for the improved fire rating.

Representatives from the Insurance Services Office visited the city several weeks ago, conducting a survey to determine the classification in order to develop fire insurance rates. The grants which were tested are located at Collier Street and North Factory Avenue; North Factory and Davis Street; Dunham, Leman Streets; Hwy. 84 and Boswell Avenue; Highland Drive and Smith Street.

Chief Lloyd Driggers said he plans to initiate several projects that will hopefully result in the classification changing to Class 6 when inspectors return in a year.

According to one agency's figures, under a Class 8 rating, the fire rates for the best homeowners policy on a \$50,000 brick home is \$219. Under the new rating it will drop to \$209 a year. The same \$100 deductible policy for a \$60,000 home is currently \$265 a year, but will drop to \$255 for Class 7.

He said in order to drop further in the rating, the city needs a new fire truck; new fire plugs in Brookdale; increased water flow to the schools; and an improved training program for the firemen. The fire plugs are currently being installed and the training program is in effect. The firemen said that the city water department is scheduled to soon start working on the water flow problem and they plan to include a fire truck in next year's budget.

According to Driggers, only two other cities in Alabama—Montevallo and Trussville—with volunteer fire departments are rated as low as Class 6.

One insurance agent said even though the new classification becomes effective August 1, most companies stipulate that rates cannot be changed until the policy's anniversary (renewal) date.

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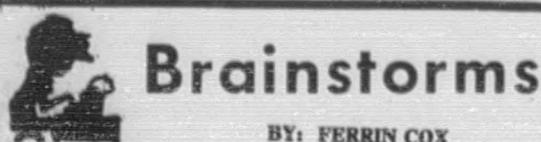
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BY: FERRIN COX

POLICE DOCKET

Governor James is holding his town meetings around the state to give ample publicity to his reform proposals. Some of us are not all 'have merit; but we hope Hob has learned enough to see that some of the time and money is being spent down to the Alabama legislature that he will 'lose the war for the want of a horsepower nail.' We think the first priority during the upcoming session should be the education budget for next year. . . . nothing more, nothing less. After that is out of the way, we will release Governor James and the other elected officials to start politicking for the 1982 elections to their hearts' content, even at taxpayers' expense for a few days.

It is the opinion of the Elba Clipper that a lower insurance rating by the rating bureau is good news. This will be to local citizens may not be as much as desired, but it is a step in the right direction. Apparently with a little bit of effort and some luck, it can be lowered another step next year and we understand these insurance premium savings will be even more. The local fire departments are doing a great job as reflected in the action by the rating bureaus, and with some additional equipment and continued efforts on their part, this further reduction is a strong possibility.

Folks in California are foaming at the mouth because someone wants to spray for the fly with a chemical called Malathion. We sure ain't experts on dangerous chemicals but we see Coffee County folks using the same stuff in their gardens every year and they haven't gotten sick yet. In fact some Coffee County gardeners would just quit quiting if they couldn't have their Malathion or something similar!

Enterprise Junior College President B.A. Forrester has announced he is retiring as of September 30. He apparently left because of his health. He has had five more operations before it became mandatory for him to retire. Now will be interesting to see the direction this highly-respected school takes under new leadership. The key will be the quality of the person named to replace Forrester. Ab Forrester will understand better than anyone when we say he hope for even better graduates from the new administration than the present. . . . he will understand because he is always striving himself to improve the students at EJC.

Those who are real concerned about the strike of the major postal employees can rest a little easier. The federal government is helping to solve the problem. We know that Secretary of Labor Ray Donovan can solve this problem because he has solved all the problems of the federal government in less than a year! Actually, we believe he should be worrying about the potential strike of the postal workers. There would be no excuse to demand the welfare checks! We may suffer discomfort without a baseball game on the tube, but those of us "the draw" will get awfully hungry without those checks in the mail.

Our family went to Six Flags last weekend right in that one hot, hot sun. Several times we ole editor backed up against a wall and just watched that horde of people. We readily allow ourselves to be herded around very much like cattle and hogs at the local stockyards. Then we pay three or four times what we would pay our neighbors for food, drink and trinkets and don't bat an eye. We do all this in the name of "fun" and "Gladness". We had a good time!

Most of us who go do somewhere like Six Flags almost kill ourselves trying to go all and see all. Occasionally we find out ways to beat the system and not be so exhausted but to see and do all. Saturdays we found a family who did a better job than ye ole editor in that department. Dr. Jim Boyce and family were among the first in the park at 10 a.m., and were still going strong at least an hour after the park opened after 10 a.m. Saturday night. Jim and Linda often divide the three children to follow various interests and figured out a way to mix in enough sitting down (eating, drinking, colas, shows) at the right time to keep everyone from collapsing from the heat. Even their youngest child seemed to have an end result after 12 solid hours of enjoying the good stuff at Six Flags. We consider ourselves good at getting the most of such situations, but we must bow to the experts!

Most in the business of selling advertising in a little ole newspaper never dream with the success we recently announced new rates for full page ads in the little weekly magazines we all get in our Montgomery, Dothan and Birmingham Sunday newspapers. Weekly Family charges \$84.490 for a one-time page ad; with color it costs \$96.225. However, if you buy the same ad in Parade, the black and white ad is \$180.495. Now they print a few million more copies than papers like the Elba Clipper, but those amounts of money sure dance around real comfortably in this country boy's head.

Bulletin Board

WEIGHT WATCHERS -- Elba High School library-Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.

ROTARY CLUB- Mondays, noon-Holley's Restaurant

EASTERN STAR -- 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 7 p.m.

ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. -- Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.-Holley's Restaurant

ELBA JAYCERS -- 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.-WELB.

ELBA CITY COUNCIL -- 1st & 3rd Mondays, 6 p.m.

ELBA LIONS CLUB -- 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.-Holley's Restaurant

ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD -- 1st Thursday, 5 p.m.-Superintendent's office

BWP -- 2nd Monday, 7 p.m.-Holley's Restaurant

AMERICAN LEGION -- 1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m.-Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.

BOY SCOUTS -- Mondays, 7 p.m.-City Pool

WATER & ELECTRIC BOARD -- 2nd Tuesday, 5 p.m.-City Hall

ELBA MASONIC LODGE #170 -- 1st & 3rd Saturday nights; 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7 p.m.

WOW LODGE 458 -- 1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.-Masonic Hall, New Brockton

PILOT CLUB -- 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m., Holley's Restaurant

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Letters To The Editor

Dear Sir:
We at Pea River Historical and Genealogical Society are searching for a picture of the founder of Elba. We will be at their convenience.

We would like to honor the founder of Elba by putting a picture of the founder in the Pea River Trails magazine which is published by this society. If the owner will

allow us to do this, we will appreciate it. If he will not loan it to us, we will permit us to take a picture of it at their convenience.

We will appreciate anything you can do to help us in this.

Yours truly,

James B. Jolley, Editor

Pea River Trails

1:28 a.m. - Manager of motel requested police check on "suspicious vehicle".

1:31 a.m. - An Elba man is issued a citation for driving without a license.

1:31 p.m. - Hospital requested police come to emergency room. Lady was in fight with husband.

1:34 p.m. - Enterprise police issued be-on-lookout for 1979 silver Monte Carlo; if seen, hold Panama City.

1:36 p.m. - Employee at Jr. Food Store on Reese requested police - car harassing of black boys.

SUNDAY, JULY 12

1:28 a.m. - Caller reported lights on inside boiler room at school.

1:24 p.m. - Male caller reported a man has passed out in his car.

1:28 p.m. - Hospital requested Rescue Squad transfer patient to a Dothan hospital.

1:34 p.m. - Caller requested assistance - keys locked in car.

1:36 p.m. - Woman caller advised kids throwing bottles in her yard on Washington Avenue.

1:39 p.m. - Lady caller reported a man has passed out in his car.

1:41 p.m. - Caller reported a man has passed out in his yard.

1:43 p.m. - Caller reported a man has passed out in his yard.

1:46 p.m. - Caller requested police on Reese Street.

1:48 p.m. - Unknown caller advised she heard sirens on Holland Drive.

1:50 a.m. - Hospital requested Rescue Squad transfer patient to Dothan hospital.

1:54 a.m. - Caller requested assistance - keys locked in car.

1:56 p.m. - Woman caller advised kids throwing bottles in her yard on Washington Avenue.

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Maddox-Bundy

Engagement Announced

S/Sgt. (Ret.) and Mrs. Paul Maddox will announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kathy Jean, to Donald Austin Bundy, son of Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Bund of Springfield.

Miss Maddox is the granddaughter of Mrs. Nellie B. Maddox of Elba, and Mrs. Corine and Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Graham and the late Sammie Graham of Troy.

The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of Zion Chapel High School, a 1980 graduate of Auburn University, and is presently attending Troy State University.

Mr. Bundy is the grandson of Mrs. Minnie Duncan and the late Lathon Duncan of Elba, and the late Mobley of Springfield and the late Bob Bundy of Springfield.

The future groom is a 1973 graduate of Goshen High School and is presently employed by S & C Materials in Brundidge.

The wedding will take place August 8 at 3 p.m. at Hebrew Baptist Church in Wilkinton. All friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception which will follow immediately.

The descendants of John Bryan and Earl Johnson will be present. Goshen High School August 9, 1981, for their annual reunion. All family members and friends are invited and asked to bring a lunch.

Miss Maddox

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To Be Held

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New Arrival

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Allen - Smith Wedding

The sanctuary of Wood Grove Baptist Church of Elba, was the scene of the wedding of Cindy Allen and David Smith on June 27, at 7 p.m. when Cindy Allen and David Smith exchanged their wedding vows. The Reverend Mr. Shepard of Dothan, officiated at the candlelight ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGuire of Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Sr. of Elba. The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meherg, Sr. of Livingston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meherg, Jr. of Elba. The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Fayette County High School and a 1980 graduate of Livingston University. He is now employed as an Empire of Public Information at Livingston University.

The bride-elect chose the granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Hedges of Elba and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hedges of Brantley. She is a 1977 graduate of Elba High School and a 1980 graduate of Judson College.

The future groom is the grandson of Mrs. D.T. Poynor of Fayette, and Mrs. J.U. Meherg of Fayette.

He is a 1975 graduate of Fayette County High School and a 1980 graduate of Livingston University. He is now employed as an Empire of Public Information at Livingston University.

The bride-elect chose the granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Hedges of Elba and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meherg, Jr. of Brantley. She is a 1977 graduate of Elba High School and a 1980 graduate of Judson College.

The wedding was planned for September 5, at 6 p.m. at the Westside Baptist Church in Elba.

The groom was attended by his brother Farrell Smith, of Denver, Colorado, and his mother, Mrs. Fred Smith, of Elba, and his brother, Johnny Dyess, cousin of the groom, Ronnie Tucker and Will Martin, all of Elba.

Little Brantley Meherg, a nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Craig Allen and Mrs. McGuire were flower girls.

The four ring bearers were each encircled with four miniature rose nosegays. A round table dressed in a white cloth and a silver and white chalice was the center of the ring bearers' attention.

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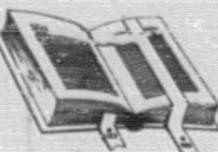
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**PASTOR'S CORNER**
DR. JUDSON VAUGHN
ELBA FIRST BAPTIST**Sharp Contrast At Calvary Part II**

In this column last week we looked at the first of four contrasts at the Calvary (as described in the 7th chapter of Matthew) - the contrast between envy (which spirit moved the chief priests and others to take the life of Jesus) and self-giving (of which spirit Jesus was moved to willingly sacrifice His life).

The second contrast is that between disbelief (seen in the betrayal by Judas and in the fickleness of the crowd and faithlessness seen in the running away of Jesus to the will of the Father -- even unto death).

One of the major sins that caused the cross and crucifixion of Jesus was disbelief. Judas betrayed the trust that Jesus had placed in him.

He betrayed the trust that Jesus had with him as a disciple. He had just begun a sincere beginning but he failed to follow through in his commitment.

Moved by greed and desire less other selfish motives, he made a bargain with the chief priests to deliver Jesus into their hands for thirty pieces of silver.

The crowd also was disloyal. Their fickleness was seen in the fact that they forsook Jesus and fled for the safety of Jerusalem the few days after they had welcomed Him to the city of Jerusalem with palms (Matthew 21:8-11). The same crowd that had shouted "Hosanna to the Son of David!" at the

time of His triumphant entry, now cried out, "Let Him be crucified!"

In sharp contrast to the disbelief of Judas and the crowd, we see the unwavering faithfulness of Jesus to the will of the Father. In His cup (that is, the wine mixed with gall) that would have relieved the disciple from the reality of pain. However, He refused that cup (Matthew 27:34). Jesus took the cup of pain-releiver in His hands. He might drink from the cup of suffering, that the Father will have for Him - the cup that is referred to in the Gospels (Matthew 26:39 and 42).

He was determined to carry obedience to the will of God to the last moment.

He was willing to face suffering.

Rev. David Richburg is pastor of Whitewater, and invites everyone to these services.

Whitewater To Feature Growth Conference**REV. JERRY GIBSON****"The best mirror is a friend's eye."** Gaelic Proverb**Revival To Begin At First Assembly Of God**

Revival services will be held this Sunday, July 17, at First Assembly of God in Elba. Rev. Cecil Wiggins, pastor of Evangel Assembly

of God in Jacksonville, Florida, will be guest evangelist.

Services will begin at 7 each evening except Sunday, which service will begin at 6 p.m.

Gospel Singing To Be Held At Harris Temple

A gospel singing will be held at the Harris Temple Church of God in Mulberry Heights on Saturday, July 18, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Featured groups include

The Holy Angels Gospel Singers, the Rocky Head choir and the Harris Temple choir.

The public is invited.

The First Baptist Church of Elba will hold a Family Life Conference Sunday, July 17.

19 through Wednesday, July 22. In addition to worship services for all members of the family, special sessions are planned for individual members of the family. Following is the schedule for the week:

SUNDAY, JULY 19

9:45 a.m. - Session for parents - auditorium: "What Makes Children Act Like That?"

10:45 a.m. - Morning Service: 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac., 4:00 p.m. Church Training, 5:00 p.m. Evening Service, 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service, 8:00 p.m. Thurs. Visitation, 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF PROPHECY - Kenneth White

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morn. Service, 11:00 a.m. Evening Service, 6:30 p.m. Tues. Night Serv., 7:30 p.m.

SASSER MILL ASSEMBLY - GOD - H. D. Anderson

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning Service, 10:45 a.m. Even. Worship, 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.

SOULS HARBOR UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH - David Overstreet

Sun. Worship, 10:00 a.m. Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m. Tues. Night, 7:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - John A. Hickman

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. C.A. (Youth), 5:30 p.m. Evangelistic Serv., 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH - Allen Moore

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship, 11:00 a.m. Church Training, 5:30 p.m. Even. Worship, 6:30 p.m. Wed. Night, 7:00 p.m.

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. Church Training, 4:30 p.m. Even. Worship, 6:30 p.m. Wed. Night, 7:00 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. Church Train., 6:30 p.m. Even. Worship, 6:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet., 7:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST - Zenia

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. Training Union, 5:00 p.m. Evening Service, 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet., 7:00 p.m.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH - English

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. Training Union, 6:00 p.m. Evening Service, 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir, 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet., 7:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - Jimmy R. Cook

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. Choir Practice, 4:30 p.m. Training Union, 5:00 p.m. Evening Service, 6:00 p.m. Thursday Service, 7:00 p.m. WELB Daily, 12:30 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPTIST

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning Service, 11:00 a.m. Training Union, 6:00 p.m. Evening Service, 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet., 7:00 p.m.

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WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Lamar LeCompte

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morn. Service, 11:00 a.m. Choir Practice, 4:30 p.m. Youth Service, 5:00 p.m. Eve. Service, 6:30 p.m. Wed. Night, 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST - Terry E. Gunnells

Bible Study, 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship, 11:00 a.m. Ev. Worship, 6:00 p.m. Wed. Group Study, 9:30 a.m. Wed. Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.

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1st PLACE—CARDINALS 14-0



2nd PLACE—ASTROS 8-5



3rd PLACE—TIGERS 6-7



4th PLACE—YANKEES 3-10



5th PLACE—METS 2-10

MEN'S SOFTBALL
The Men's Softball League had two nights of action rained out last week, but still managed to play 10 games. Standings through July 13 are as follows: A Division - Beaver-Bank 17-1, Heights 16-2, Elba Hospital 14-6, Nasco 11-9 and Ole Rebels 9-12. B Division - Heights 12-10, IAM 9-12, Farm Bros. 8-14, Grimes Oil 7-15, Work Release 5-15, Heights 5-18 and Kelley Packing 4-17.

Hammonds 5
Jaycees 4
Hammonds Body regained 1st place in the B Division by posting an exciting 5-4 win over the Jaycees. The Jaycees owned a 4-3 lead going into the ninth, but Hammonds rallied with two outs to score 2 runs and claim the win. Arthur Gifford got 3 hits to pace Hammonds. Jim J.C. McKenzie, Doug Lee, Vernon Culver, Jim McMillan and Paul Phillips all added 2 hits. Greg Ellenburg got 2 hits for the Jaycees.

Fowler Bros. 7
Kelly Packing 0 [Forfeit]

Hammonds 14
Heights 4
Hammonds led all the way to post a 14-4 win over the Heights. Hammonds scored 5 runs in the opening inning and breezed to the win. Joe Williams, while Sam Terry, J.C. McKenzie, Doug Lee and Arthur Gifford all added 2 hits. Williams got 2 hits for the Heights.

Hickman Movers 11
Cash Trailers 5

Hickman broke loose to score 11 runs in the opening inning and rolled to an 11-5 win over Cash Trailers. Hickman's early lead shrank to 6-5 in the fifth, but the movers responded in the sixth inning to pull the win. Perry Fuller got 4 hits to lead Hickman. Van Johnson got 3 hits, while Greg Johnson, Greg Williams, Mike Trask and Joey Holler all added 2 hits. Ken Martin got 3 hits for Cash, while Vince Bowens, Gary Braxton and David Hiley all added 2 hits.

Hospital

Carter Boys 10
The Hospital staged a furious seventh-inning rally to edge Carter Brothers 11-10. The Hospital trailed 10-9 going into the ninth, but Carter's 2 runs in the ninth pulled out the win. Chuck Coleman, Phil Freese and Andy Locklear all got 3 hits for the Hospital, while Freddie Sanders, Joe Simmons and Robert Flowers all added 2 hits. Byron Hodge got 2 hits for Carter's.

Nasco 18
Ole Rebels 12

Nasco pulled ahead in the second inning and never looked back to post a 12-12 win over Ole Rebels. Nasco's early lead slipped to only 3 runs in the third, but they added 6 runs in the fourth and held on to the win. Freddie Sanders got 3 hits to pace Nasco, while Craig Smith and Harold Wilson got 2 hits apiece. Charles Smith and David Pynes got 2 hits each for the Rebels.

Grimes Oil 9
Heights 5
Grimes Oil led all the way to dump the Heights 9-5. Grimes, one of the hottest teams in the league, started the second half of the season, jumped out to a 7-1 lead in the third and held on for the win. Mike McKenzie and Joe B. Cook got 3 hits each for Grimes, while James Smith got 3 hits for the Heights and Gary Smith, John Siler and Ben Atkins all got 2 hits.

Hammonds Body 9
Work Release 5
Hammonds Body pulled the team's come-from-behind win as they won a hard-fought 9-5 win over Work Release. Hammonds trailed 5-2 in the third inning, but pulled into a tie in the fifth and then pulled away for the win. Arthur Gifford got 3 hits, including 2 3-run home runs, while J.C. McKenzie and Frank Phillips both added 2 hits. James Brewer got 2 hits for Work Release.

Jaycees 7
Kelley's 0 [Forfeit]

Work Release 10
Jaycees 6
Work Release scored 8 runs in the third inning to take a big lead and held on to win the Jaycees 10-6. The Jaycees pulled within 8-4 in the fourth, but couldn't catch up and fell to defeat. James Ellenburg, Greg Brown got 2 hits apiece for Work Release, while Stan Saults got 2 hits for the Jaycees.



AWARD WINNING HORSES . . . Junior Jackson, a local horse trainer and owner, is shown putting two award-winning racing horses through a daily workout at his stable. Jackson rides both horses one hour a day and also does daily grooming on the animals. Pictured above is "Alley Cat," a 4-year-old horse owned by Jackson. The horse claimed 1st place in a show at Headland and also won ribbons in shows at Troy, Elba and Monroeville. In the bottom photo is "Black Diamond W.," a 2-year-old horse owned by Raymond Tatton and trained by Jackson. The horse has claimed second-place ribbons in shows at Elba and Troy.



Cardinals Finish 14-0

The Elba Dixie Youth League baseball season came to an end last week when the Cardinals dumped the Tigers 5-1. The Cards won the Caron Cup, the Dixie Cup and the league championship for the second straight season. The remainder of the standings are Astro 8-5, Tigers 2-10, Yankees 3-10 and Mets 2-10.

The All-Stars were named following the final game and named to the team were Robert Wilson, Tom

Stroud, Junior Tillis, Tracey Sanders, Stan Sauls, Kim Berry, Scott Brown, Bill Bruecker, Boyd English, Dwayne Hooks, Pat Norris, Mike Williams, Mike Williams, Chris Thigpen, Chris Boyce and Greg Hanchey. The team will be coached by Robert Earl Williams, Eddie Vaughan and Tommy Dewberry.

Cardinals 5
Tigers 1
Stan Sauls hurled a 2

batter and Bill Bruecker slipped 3 hits to lead the Cardinals to a 5-1 win over the Tigers. The Cards took an early 3-0 lead and added 2 more in the fourth to put the Cards in the lead. Bill Bruecker got 3 hits, including 2 doubles, to lead the Cards, while Dwayne Hooks added 2 doubles. Stan Sauls got 1 hit for the Tigers. Tom Stroud and Junior Tillis got 1 hit apiece. Stan Sauls pitched a 2-hitter and struck out 15 batters to claim the win on the mound.

The Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of June, 1981, by the Hon. James L. Sawyer, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ Minnie Pearl Wilks
Excutrix of said estate

7-9-3c

LEGAL NOTICE

ESTATE OF VIVIAN HARPER DECEASED

PROBATE COURT, COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

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/s/ Fred Marion Harper, Jr.
/s/ John Burton Harper
Excutrix

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The Hospital Authority of the City of Elba [Owner] Elba General Hospital & Nursing Home 987 Drayton Street Elba, Alabama 36323

Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of new emergency room, wing and director's wing, including renovations to existing areas and additions to nursing home, Elba General Hospital and Elba Hospital, Elba, Alabama will be received by the Hospital Authority of the City of Elba at the office of McCall and Associates, Inc., 3001 Zelma Road, Montgomery, Alabama 36106 until 2:00 p.m. CDT July 28, 1981, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The contract documents may be examined at the office of McCall and Associates, Inc., 3001 Zelma Road, Montgomery, Alabama 36106, upon payment of \$100.00 deposit for each set of bid documents.

Any General Contractor bidding on this contract will be required to submit a bond, upon returning the bid documents promptly and in good condition, will be refunded the full deposit amount. Others returning the bid documents will be

S.A. Graham Co., Inc. hereby gives notice of completion of contract with the State of Alabama for the construction of Project No. FR-501 in Coffee County. This notice will appear for one week. Bids will be received on July 2, 1981, and ending on July 2, 1981, all claims should be filed at P.O. Box 726, Brundidge, Alabama 36010, during this period.

S.A. GRAHAM CO., INC.

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Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 2nd day of July, 1981, by the Hon.

ELBA CLIPPER JULY 16, 1981

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